

**COMMISSION FOR AIR QUALITY MANAGEMENT
IN NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION AND ADJOINING AREAS**

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Partial modification to Direction No. 85 dated 02.12.2024

Subject: Directions under Section 12 of Commission for Air Quality Management in NCR and Adjoining Areas Act, 2021 – Prevention and mitigation of Air Pollution from Construction & Demolition activities in the NCR.

Towards more effective field level implementation of the statutory Direction No. 85 on the above subject, **the concluding paragraph is hereby modified** as under:-

“NOW, THEREFORE, towards ensuring strict implementation of various directions, advisories, orders issued by the Commission in this regard, the Construction and Demolition Waste Management Rules 2016 issued by MoEFCC and various dust mitigation measures stipulated from time to time by other authorities concerned viz. the CPCB, SPCBs / DPCC and other agencies under the State Governments / GNCTD, the Commission, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it under Section 14 (2) authorises the Member-Secretaries and other Officers serving at least in pay level 11 (7th CPC) or equivalent, of the Pollution Control Boards in the NCR States of Uttar Pradesh, Haryana, Rajasthan and DPCC, to file a complaint/prosecution before the Jurisdictional Judicial Magistrate, in cases of gross violations of directions / orders in respect of dust / air pollution control and mitigation measures at such sites, besides ordering closure of such sites and imposition / realisation of environment compensation charges in such cases of gross violations.

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Provided that any complaint required to be filed by any Officer other than the Member Secretary, shall only be filed with the prior approval of the respective Member Secretary on a case-to-case basis."

2. All other stipulations under Direction No. 85 will remain unaltered.



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To,

1. Member Secretaries of State Pollution Control Board, Uttar Pradesh/ Haryana/ Rajasthan.
2. Member Secretary, Delhi Pollution Control Committee.

Copy, for information and dissemination, to:

1. Chief Secretaries of Government of Uttar Pradesh/ Haryana/ Rajasthan / GNCTD
2. ACS/ Pr. Secretary/ Secretary (Environment), Government of Uttar Pradesh/ Haryana/ Rajasthan / GNCTD
3. Chairman, State Pollution Control Board, Uttar Pradesh/ Haryana/ Rajasthan.
4. Chairman, Delhi Pollution Control Committee.

Copy also to:

1. The Chairperson and all Members of the Commission.



(Sujit Kumar Bajpayee)
Member-Secretary